

Monday, October 15, 2007

House Meets At...	Votes Predicted At...
12:30 p.m. For Morning Hour 2:00 p.m. For Legislative Business	First Vote: 6:30 p.m. Last Vote: 7:00 p.m.
Unlimited "One-minutes" Per Side	

Any anticipated Member absences for votes this week should be reported to the Office of the Majority Whip at 226-3210.

Floor Schedule and Procedure

- **Suspension Bills:** Today, the House will consider several bills on the Suspension calendar. Bills considered on the Suspension calendar are debatable for 40 minutes; may not be amended; and require a two-thirds vote for passage. If a recorded vote is requested, it will be postponed.
1. **H.Res. 624** – Congratulating the State of Israel on chairing a United Nations committee for the first time in history (*Rep. Hastings (FL) – Foreign Affairs*)
 2. **H.Res. ____** - Condemning the campaign of murder, terror and intimidation aimed at overthrowing the democratically elected government of Lebanon and condemning efforts by some Lebanese political figures to obstruct, delay and impede the legal and established processes of their country for the selection of a new president according to the rule of law (*Rep. Ackerman – Foreign Affairs*)
 3. **H.Con.Res. 25** - Expressing the sense of Congress that it is the goal of the United States that, not later than January 1, 2025, the agricultural, forestry, and working land of the United States should provide from renewable resources not less than 25 percent of the total energy consumed in the United States and continue to produce safe, abundant, and affordable food, feed, and fiber (*Rep. Peterson (MN) – Agriculture*)
 4. **H.R. 2089** – To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 701 Loyola Avenue in New Orleans, Louisiana, as the "Louisiana Armed Services Veterans Post Office" (*Rep. Jefferson – Oversight and Government Reform*)

5. **H.R. 3297** – To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 950 West Trenton Avenue in Morrisville, Pennsylvania, as the "Nate DeTample Post Office Building" (*Rep. Patrick Murphy – Oversight and Government Reform*)
6. **H.R. 3572** - To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4320 Blue Parkway in Kansas City, Missouri, as the "Wallace S. Hartsfield Post Office Building" (*Rep. Cleaver – Oversight and Government Reform*)
7. **H.R. 20** – Melanie Blocker-Stokes Postpartum Depression Research and Care Act (*Rep. Rush – Energy and Commerce*)
8. **H.R. 2295** – ALS Registry Act (*Rep. Engel – Energy and Commerce*)
9. **H.R. 1727** – Christopher and Dana Reeve Paralysis Act (*Rep. Baldwin – Energy and Commerce*)
10. **H.Con.Res.133** - Supporting the goals and ideals of a Long-Term Care Awareness Week (*Rep. Herseht Sandlin – Energy and Commerce*)
11. **H.Res.448** - Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that there should be established a National Cancer Research Month, and for other purposes (*Rep. Matheson – Energy and Commerce*)
12. **H.Con.Res. 182** – Recognizing the need to pursue research into the causes, a treatment, and an eventual cure for idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis, supporting the goals and ideals of National Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis Awareness Week, and for other purposes (*Rep. Deal – Energy and Commerce*)
13. **H.Res. 524** - Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives with respect to Diamond- Blackfan Anemia (*Rep. McCarthy – Energy and Commerce*)
14. **H.R. 970** – Dextromethorphan Distribution Act of 2007 (*Rep. Upton – Energy and Commerce*)
15. **H.R. 507** – Vision Care for Kids Act of 2007 (*Rep. Gene Green – Energy and Commerce*)

Quote of the Day

"If we don't stand up for children, then we don't stand for much."
-Marian Wright Edelman